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SENATE PASSES STATE-WIDE PROHIBITION AMENDMENT 24 TO 7

TALLAHASSEE, April 22, 4:30 p. m.—Special—After a session lasting four and a half hours, the Senate this afternoon passed the Constitutional Amendment prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors in the State of Florida by a vote of 24 to 7 as follows: Yeas—President Hudson, Adkins, Baker of Twentieth, Baker of Twenty-ninth, Broome, Crill, Cone, Cottrell, Davis, Dayton, Flournoy, Girardeau, Humphries, Johnson, Leggett, Massey, McCreary, McLeod, McMullen, Miller, Sloan, West, Williams, Withers. Nays—Beard, Buckman, Harris, Henderson, Hosford, Sams, Zim; Cook not voting. Senator Buckman against and Senators McMullen and Broome for were the principal speakers on respective sides of the question. The Senate Chamber was crowded during the session, most of the specetators being ladies, and the temperance people made the capitol resound with shouts and songs when the vote was announced. The measure now goes to the House, where a determined fight will be made against it.

JUDGE CARTER'S SPEECH ON COMMISSION REPORT

Explains Findings of Body and Gives Interesting Account of Gov. Jennings' Work.

TALLAHASSEE, April 22.—In one of the most eloquent and forceful addresses ever heard by the Lower House of the Florida Legislature, Judge Syd L. Carter, representative from Alachua county, told of the acts and doings of the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund since its inception by an act of the Legislature in 1885, as given in a voluminous report, embracing a large amount of testimony as well as documentary evidence, made recently by the special commission elected for the purpose by the Legislature of 1907, of which he is chairman. Several times during his address the speaker was interrupted by applause.

It is to be deduced from Judge Carter's remarks that the commission has found that the trust was coupled with the obligation to drain and reclaim the lands. That the land granted to the railroad companies was only the residuary interest therein; that at divers times during the existence of the trust there was wasteful mismanagement; that many of the acts, both in the early and later administrations were inexcusable and that the improvident expenditure of the trust funds under the guise of payments for legal services to favored attorneys are deserving of the highest censure.

The report on its face shows that the research was an exhaustive one. There was one difference of opinion of the members of the commission. This was when they reached that portion of the report that deals with the legal contention of the trustees' general counsel, Former Governor Jennings.

Judge Carter differed as to the law and filed a dissenting opinion on that point.

Judge Carter's Address.

Judge Carter's address to the House was in part as follows:

"No one can read the whole record and escape the conclusion that reckless disregard to the people's interests has characterized the sheer favoritism shown the attorney for the trustees for the past two years. Employed on a salary of $5,000 a year, he looks longingly at the I. I. cake and the trustees hand him out another $5,000 slice in the shape of agent's commission, and as there is still some cake left in the trustees' pantry the trustees hand him out other generous slices labeled 'stenographer,' typewriter,' etc., until the whole for two years amounts to $27,000. Well did this son of a horse leech know that there is oftimes more blood in the body than mantles in the cheek, and that there is oftimes more perquisites in a position than is represented by the salary.

"But finding that the cake was dwindling to insignificant proportions and that the new keepers of the pantry would carry the key, he generously tells the trustees that, the pasture having given out, they may turn someone else in the field and, like the celebrated soldier of fortune, Sir Dugald Dalgelly, he enlists under the banner of the purchaser. Having milked the trustees dry, he turns to the Bolles Company that has just freshened. Some hypnotic influence enabled this Illinois importation to fasten upon the I. I. teat and no amount of thunder could make him turn loose until there was a change of administration.

"The recent transaction between the trustees and their salaried counsel does not meet with the approval of this commission. We do not wish to make any rash comments, but merely state that considered from every possible point of view it is wholly and absolutely inexcusable. A mere statement of what the record discloses is sufficient to sustain the above statement.

"W. S. Jennings was employed by the board at an annual salary of $5,000. During the two years preceding the termination of his connection with the board he was paid for salary $10,000. In addition he was paid commissions as an agent for the same lands, towit, the swamp and overflowed lands, and for expenses, stenographer, etc., an amount sufficient to swell the grand total to $22,000, and then he graciously resigned and took employment under one of the intending purchasers.

"By what hypnotic power the Illinois importation was able to so influence the trustees is one of the mysteries surrounding this trust fund that I have been unable to fathom.

"The conduct of the trustees and their favored counsel is simply inexcusable, and no amount of sophistry can hide its glaring impropriety."

The report of the commission was continued as a special order for 3 p. m. Monday.

A Busy Day.

A large number of new bills were introduced Wednesday, some of which went to third reading, under waiver of rules, and were passed.

Of State-wide interest was a resolution introduced by Mr. Chase of Duval county, and adopted, urging the Florida representatives in Congress to use all honorable means to pursuade the President not to appoint any negroes to federal positions in the State, and to begin the good work of decapitating the head of the internal revenue department in Florida and appointing as a successor a good white man. The introduction of the resolution was followed by a round of unstinted applause, and within the twinkling of an eye its adoption had been effected.

An impressive feature of the day's session of both houses was the joint assemblage of the House and Senate at high noon to elect jointly a United States Senator.

Pursuant to a resolution offered on the preceding day, the House elected five committee clerks to take the place of the nineteen previously appointed.

Mr. MacWilliams of St. Johns nominated Ben. F. Cone, who has been filling the position of clerk to the judiciary committee B. Nomination seconded by a half dozen.

The House proceeded to ballot, resulting in the election of Ben. F. Cone, Miss Gainey, Mrs. Poole, Miss Mathis and Mr. Smith.

Motion by Mr. MacWilliams of St. Johns that all records save the statement that "the following clerks were elected" be expunged from the journal. Carried.

The Senate.

Opposition was brought to bear upon the McMullen bill relieving insurance companies organized in Florida from paying the State 2 per cent of the gross premiums on policies paid in the State in the Senate Wednesday morning. It is rather probable that the bill will be defeated.

Senator Harris of the Twenty-fourth led the opposition to the measure. He objected to the loss of revenue and also attacked the constitutionality of the measure. The bill was defended by Senator McMullen, but did not come to a vote, as the Senate went into joint session with the House before the question was called.

PROHIBITION MEASURE PASSES HOUSE 53 TO 16

Great Demonstration by Temperance Advocates When Vote Was Announced.

TALLAHASSEE, April 23.—Special—The State-wide prohibition amendment which passed the Senate Thursday afternoon 24 to 7, passed the House on waiver of the rules this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by a vote of 53 to 16, Representatives Carter and Doke of Alachua voting for its passage.

The House was in continuous session on the measure for five and a half hours, and the fight was probably the most spectacular in the history of the body, although it has been apparent for some time that the "drys" had the advantage. Delegations were here from several cities and towns, some working for the bill's passage while others were equally as zealous in an effort to defeat it. Hundreds of ladies were present and were great workers in support of the measure.

As the House did not adjourn at the noon hour, the ladies served sandwiches, coffee and lemonade to members in the capitol.

The passage of the bill precipitated a great demonstration, the temperance advocates singing and shouting on all sides.

TALLAHASSEE, April 23.—Fresh from the victory in the Senate the prohibition forces carried their fight into the House at 3 p. m. Thursday. The great chamber was filled with legislators and spectators, at least half of whom were women.

The assemblage seemed ensconced in an atmosphere of excitement and expectancy, which was momentarily broken by the sharp sounds of the gavel coming into contact emanating from the Speaker's stand.

Cool and deliberate, the Speaker arose, and after admonishing those in the rear to come to order, announced that the House was in session. A death-like silence pervaded the chamber. Attention was eagerly strained to catch the next move. This came when the clerk arose to call the roll. Roll call showed a quorum present. Motion was then made by Mr. Hilburn of Putnam that the House adjourn until 10 a. m., Friday. Motion prevailed.

Hearing Begins.

The Speaker then announced that the constitutional amendment committee would come to order.

With unfaltering step, the members of the committee slowly filed around the row of desks and walked up the steps leading to the Speaker's stand, where they took their seats.

This added materially to the impressiveness of the scene. Sitting with as much grace and dignity as any supreme bench, the committee was in plain view of all.

In front of the row of desks on the floor sat many of the business men of Jacksonville.

The members of the House were at their desks and scattered throughout the chamber were groups of women, bearing bouquets of flowers, and pinned close to the left shoulder were small white ribbon bows, emblematic of their purpose.

Mr. Hodges, the youngest member of the House, as chairman of the committee, called the assemblage to order. Following this he announced that Mr. J. M. Barrs of Jacksonville would be the first speaker of the afternoon.

Mr. Barrs made a lengthy address in opposition to the passage of the amendment. He was followed by John G. Christopher of Jacksonville, who read a letter from one brother in Georgia to another brother in Jacksonville, giving instructions to sell the family property in Jacksonville at $40,000 less the actual value should prohibition pass.

Rev. C. C. Carroll of Ocala preached an impressive sermon in favor of prohibition. He said the question came not from prohibition entirely, but from the evils of the liquor traffic as well.

T. J. Watkins of Orlando offered a petition from whom he pleased to term the business men of Orlando, asking the Legislature to pass the constitutional amendment. He said prohibition was proving satisfactory in his county and therefore he wanted to see State-wide prohibition.

A. D. Stevens of Jacksonville said he was here to enter protest against the statement that the delegation from Jacksonville represented the business interests of that city. He sumbitted a list of names of citizens of Jacksonville whom he said wanted prohibition.

Mr. Chase, of the committee, asked for the list of names, stating he would point out to the committee whether or not they represented the business interests of Jacksonville.

Among other speakers heard was Rev. Brooks Lawrence of Alabama. He thought the amendment should be adopted at once. He reviewed the progress in other Southern States since prohibition came to them, and said that Florida would travel along in the same prosperous paths should it be enacted here.

In Executive Session.

The committee then went into executive session, the committee being composed of Representatives Hodges, chairman; Carter, Chase, Alexander, Moore, Dupont, Kelly and Knowles.

Alexander wanted to make an immediate report to the House in favor of the adoption of the resolution for constitutional amendment. This was opposed by Calkins. Carter was absent, and when a vote was attempted the committee found a deadlock. Carter, so it is understood, was in favor of referring the resolution back to the House without reporting favorably or unfavorably.

The committee adjourned until 9:30 o'clock Friday morning.

Tornado Leaves Death and Destruction in Its Path

CLEVELAND, O., April 22.—Probably four deaths, scores of persons injured and hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of damage marked the path of a tornado which passed across the northern part of Ohio at noon yesterday.

The storm consumed only five minutes in passing a given point, but during that brief period it was as dark as night, hail battered in windows, lightning set fire to hundreds of buildings, one-fifth of an inch of rain fell, and the wind which reached a velocity of sixty-six miles an hour, razed buildings and chimneys, tore off roofs, laid low many telegraph and telephone lines and demoralized traffic upon the steam and electric railways.

In neighboring towns considerable damage was done. Ten dwellings were reported to have been blown to the ground in the southwestern part of the city. Many homes were burned, as the fire department could not attend to all of the calls.

An unidentified young woman is reported to have been thrown into a pond at Wade Park by the force of the wind and drowned. Three men are reported to have been killed by falling walls in the flats.

St. Stanislaus Catholic church was demolished. The loss there was upwards of $100,000.

OWEN MAY SOON KNOW HIS FATE

PAPERS IN CASE PREPARED AND FORWARDED TO GOVERNOR.

This Would Be the First Legal White Hanging Ever Executed in Alachua County.

R. H. Owen, the white man now confined in the county jail and who has been sentenced to hang, will soon know his fate.

All papers in the case have been prepared by Clerk of the Court Wienges and forwarded to the Governor at Tallahassee, who will investigate them and set the day upon which the man shall die according to the sentence imposed upon him by Judge Wills at the special term of court.

The wife of Owen is endeavoring to get up a petition, but she has been seen around the streets but very little, and it is said that but very few have signed the paper. Many have never seen it and from present indications the petition will never leave this city unless others take the matter up and assist the woman in her trouble.

The usual procedure will be gone through with at Tallahassee, the Governor issuing the death warrant and setting the time that the man is to be hung.

Should Sheriff Ramsey have to perform the act of hanging Owen, it will be the first legal white hanging ever to occur here. This record causes many to believe that someone will intervene in the man's behalf and endeavor to get the sentence commuted to life-imprisonment.

Several of the ministers have called upon the doomed man, but as his mind seems very shallow, they obtain little satisfaction. Owen is an illiterate person and it will apparently require a great deal of time to teach him right from wrong.

Best Treatment for Colds.

"Most ordinary colds will yield to the simplest treatment," says The Chicago Tribune, "moderative laxatives, hot foot baths, a free perspiration and an avoidance of exposure to cold and wet after treatment." While this treatment is simple, it requires considerable trouble, and the one adopting it must remain in doors for a day or two, or a fresh cold is almost sure to be contracted, and in many instances pneumonia follows. Is it not better to pin your faith to an old reliable preparation like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, that is famous for its cures of colds and can always be depended upon? For sale by all druggists.

Five Cases Before Mayor.

There were five cases before Mayor Davis on Friday morning, all being charged with disobeying the sanitary laws of the city.

All were let off with the payment of costs upon the promise to comply with the city ordinance in reference to the sanitary buckets.

C. Y. Crawford, charged with allowing water to run on the streets near his stables, was instructed to connect with the city sewer at once.

Rheumatism.

More than nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism are simply rheumatism of the muscles, due to cold or damp, or chronic rheumatism. In such cases no internal treatment is required. The free application of Chamberlain's Liniment is all that is needed, and it is certain to give quick relief. Give it a trial and see for yourself how quickly it relieves the pain and soreness. The medicines usually given internally for rheumatism are poisonous or very strong medicines. They are worse than useless in cases of chronic and muscular rheumatism. For sale by all druggists.

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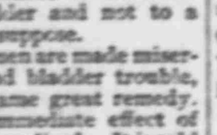
Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh, or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of **Swamp-Root** is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also a pamphlet telling all about Swamp-Root, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers who found Swamp-Root to be just the remedy needed. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.



Home of Swamp-Root.

REV. L. D. GEIGER DEAD.

Passed Away at His Home at Apopka Tuesday Night.

Rev. L. D. Geiger died last night at his home in Apopka. Mr. Geiger was for several years pastor of the Ocala Baptist church, and made many lasting friends in this city. He was secretary of the State Board of Missions, the most important office of that denomination in the State, and was also one of the most gifted and popular preachers in Florida. His death will be a great blow to his friends and the Baptist church.

Mr. Geiger was born in Levy county about fifty years ago. He is survived by a wife and several children.—Ocala Star, 21st.

A Baby Show in Gainesville

Would have many contestants; but it's safe to say that the healthiest baby would win the prize. No baby can be healthy who suffers from worms, and most babies do unless they are kept free from them with White's Cream Vermifuge. Acts quickly, yet mildly—is its own purgative. Mothers, don't attempt to raise children without White's Cream Vermifuge. Price 25 cents. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Returned to Newberry.

Deputy Sheriff Wynne of Newberry arrived in the city Thursday for the purpose of carrying back to that point Elvea Carr, the negro woman who is charged with stabbing another woman by the name of Minerva. She will be given a preliminary hearing before Justice Carter at that place today. The woman who was wounded has sufficiently recovered to be present at the hearing.

Mr. F. G. Fritts, Oneonta, N. Y., writes: "My little girl was greatly benefited by taking Foley's Orino Laxative, and I think it is the best remedy for constipation and liver trouble." Foley's Orino Laxative is best for women and children, as it is mild, pleasant and effective, and is a splendid spring medicine, as it cleanses the system and clears the complexion. J. W. McCollum & Co.

Fine String Band.

Prof N. Marinaro's neapolitan quartette, one of the finest in the country, are now here and will remain for the next few days. They were heard in various places around the square yesterday and have attracted a great deal of attention. Arrangements will probably be made for them to give a public exhibition.

People past middle life usually have some kidney or bladder disorder that saps the vitality, which is naturally lower in old age. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects urinary troubles, stimulates the kidneys, and restores strength and vigor. It cures uric acid troubles by strengthening the kidneys so they will strain out the uric acid that settles in the muscles and joints causing rheumatism. J. W. McCollum & Co.

The Sun office for calling cards.

BIG JAIL DELIVERY AT DELAND

CONDEMNED MURDERERS AMONG THOSE WHO ESCAPED.

The Prisoners Secured Their Liberty by Digging Through the Cement Floor.

DELAND, April 22.—A jail delivery here last night liberated Arthur Nelson, convicted of murder in the first degree, and sentenced to death, also John Johnson, who was also convicted of murder this week and given a life sentence. Others who escaped were Charles Warren, indicted for murder; Theo. Hart, for manslaughter, and Jim Hampton, charged with adultry.

The prisoners were left in the corridor of the county jail over night, and dug their way out through the cement floor and brick walls. Bloodhounds couldn't take the trail because too many people had been on the scene.

THE NEWS FROM MELROSE.

Winter Visitors Depart for North. Personal Notes of Interest.

MELROSE, April 22.—Mr. and Mrs. R. Barnett of Blacksbear, Ga., are visiting Mrs. Morris.

At a called meeting of Chapter No. 27, O. E. S., Miss C. McRae and Miss Sadie L. Mullin were elected delegates to the Grand Chapter meeting at Jacksonville today.

The motor boat of B. Chamberlain has arrved here. It is 30 feet long, eight foot beam, with canopy top and seven and a half horse-power gasoline engine. Its new owner expects to spend a good deal of his time on the lake hereafter.

Rev. Barr left Monday for Leesburg to assist at a revival meeting held by Rev. Hice. He expects to be absent for a week.

A large crowd was at the public dock on Saturday morning to bid goodbye to Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cole and Mr. and Mrs. J. Ackroyd of Utica, N. Y. Few people have made more friends in one winter than all of these charming people, who came to Melrose for the first time last fall. Mr. Cole has bought the fine residence and grove of Mrs. Caldwell. It is one of the most desirable homes on the lake and the grove, for its size, one of the most profitable ones in town; besides the large number of various citrus trees, there are Japanese persimmons, guavas, figs and bananas and about thirty of Dr. Curtis' famous paper-shell pecan trees. The house itself is surrounded by beautiful tall palmetto palms, oleanders, magnolias and camphor trees, while lovely roses grow on trellises against the spacious verandas. Mr. Cole has already made some improvements at his boat house and later on proposes to bulkhead his entire waterfront. The people of Melrose extend to Mr. and Mrs. Cole their heartiest welcome as future winter residents and look forward to their early return next fall and hope they will bring Mr. and Mrs. Ackroyd with them.

P. Lee has returned from the Atlanta Dental College for the summer.

J. H. Pearsall of Westfield, N. J., is the guest of B. Chamberlain for about two weeks.

Objects to Strong Medicines.

Many people object to taking the strong medicines usually prescribed by physicians for rheumatism. There is no need of internal treatment in any case of muscular or chronic rheumatism, and more than nine out of every ten cases of the disease are of one or the other of these varieties. When there is no fever and little (if any) swelling, you may know that it is only necessary to apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely to get quick relief. Try it. For sale by all druggists.

Impressed.

"I appear to have made something of an impression on that man over there," remarked a young lady at a wedding party. "He has been looking at me ever since I arrived."

"If you mean that one with the black mustache, he's the detective engaged to look after the presents!" said a friend.

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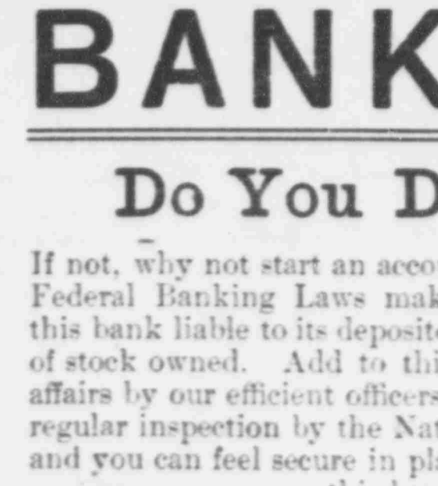

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WORTHINGTON SEASON OPENS ON 29th

A BIG DANCE PLANNED FOR THURSDAY EVENING.

Many Cottages in Course of Erection. Springs Free to Sunday School Picnic Parties.

WORTHINGTON SPRINGS, April 23.—The summer season will open up here with a big dance at the new pavilion on Thursday evening, April 29th. Everybody is invited to attend. Mr. Lamb has been at work for three months on the springs and surroundings and now has one of the most attractive and beautiful places in Florida. This place is known to comparatively few but Mr. Lamb is very energetic and no doubt it will soon be better known.

Jas. M. Graham of Gainesville is erecting a summer cottage here, which will soon be completed and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Graham.

Mr. Bowles and son of St. Petersburg have a contract to erect a handsome residence here for Dr. W. E. Middleton.

B. M. Leverett is building a cottage for summer occupancy for himself and family.

Mrs. Lamb will be assisted in chaperoning on the evening of the 29th, by Mesdames J. M. Wolfenden and B. M. Leverett, also by several friends from Gainesville. The dancers will have a nicely polished and waxed floor for the occasion.

Mr. Bruce Warren is building a nice residence.

Rev. G. W. Miller preached a very able sermon on Character-building Sunday to a small but appreciative audience. The services were held in the hotel lobby. Services have been held here once a month for the past few months but will in future be held at the pavilion until the church is erected.

Quite a crowd from neighboring towns came over last Sunday for a day's recreation and to enjoy the bathing, but were disappointed about the bathing, as the cement pools were not sufficiently hardened to turn the water on. Water will be turned into the new pool Thursday, the 22nd, for the first time.

Messrs. Rowe and Jones, contractors of Lake Butler, will complete a residence for J. B. Patrick by May 15th.

Dr. Lawson of Hohira, Ga., is spending some time here for his health. He is a nephew of Montgomery M. Folsom.

Dr. Middleton brought his family over for a few days last week. They were guests at Hotel Worthington.

George Bouls of Jacksonville is a guest at the Cox House.

Neil Wade, who has been grading road here for the A. C. L., has gone to South Carolina to accept another railroad contract. He leaves Mr. Morrison in charge here.

H. K. Wolfenden paid Gainesville a business call Monday.

I. F. Lamb left today for Jacksonville, where he goes for a day or so on business.

Little Iva Beech of Charlotte, Mich., who has been attending the school at Lake Butler for the winter, was the guest of Ethel Lamb Saturday.

Mr. Lamb offers the pool here free to Sunday school picnics

One-Quarter of a Pound a Week

At least, is what a young baby ought to gain in weight. Does yours? If not there's something wrong with its digestion. Give it McGee's Baby Elixir. Cures stomach and bowel troubles, aids digestion, stops fretfulness, good for teething babies. Price, 25c and 50c. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Thousands Are Destitute.

BIERUT, April 25.—The Armenian population of Antioch and vicinity has been practically wiped out in the massacres of the last few days by the fanatical Moslems. There are thousands of destitute Armenian widows and orphans still in the district, unable to get away. There is no security anywhere in the vicinity of Antioch.

During the spring everyone would be benefited by taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. It furnishes a needed tonic to the kidneys after the extra strain of winter, and it purifies the blood to eliminate the impurities from it. Foley's Kidney Remedy imparts new life and vigor. Pleasant to take. J. W. McCollum & Co.

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

Health is Worth Saving, and Some Gainesville People Know How to Save It.

Many Gainesville people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Sick kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health, but there is no need to suffer nor to remain in danger when all diseases and aches and pains due to weak kidneys can be quickly and permanently cured by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. Here is a Gainesville citizen's recommendation:

Mrs. E. H. Walters, 108 N. Oak avenue, Gainesville, Fla., says: "My kidneys were disordered for some time and I could find nothing that would relieve me. I suffered greatly from headaches and was often so dizzy that I could not stand. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills advertised, I procured a box and began their use. They acted quickly and it was not long before I received relief. I have no hesitation in giving Doan's Kidney Pills my endorsement."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

REAL ESTATE CHANGES.

Only a Small List of Papers Were Filed on Tuesday.

Only a small number of papers were filed for record on Tuesday compared to the business done during the past few weeks in the realty line, but many sales of importance are now brewing which it is thought will be closed within the next few days.

Following is the list as taken from the deed books in the clerk's office: N. R. Carter, Jr., to Stringfellow & Oliver; J. A. Williams and wife to T. R. Hunt; S. F. Jackson and W. L. Jackson to Richard Simpson; Colson & Hodges to W. M. Johnson; Colson & Hodges to W. R. Thomas; L. C. Chastain and wife to George White; W. L. Hill and wife to Lizzie Floyd; Jane Elliott to Irwin Ayer; George White to G. W. McCall; P. J. Johnson to C. A. Colclough; Annie Wimberly to S. H. Wienges; J. L. Wolfenden to C. J. Grace; Mrs. M. R. Colson to O. N. Sanders.

Eminent Authorities Say

That out-door exercise is needed by the American people. That's all very well, but how can people with rheumatism follow that advice? The answer is very simple—use Ballard's Snow Liniment and the rheumatism will go, leaving you as spry as a colt. Gives quick and permanent relief from rheumatism, neuralgia, lame back. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

College Foolishness Barred.

"John," said the farmer, "I've given you the best education the college had in the shop."

"Yes, sir."

"Never stood back fer expense?"

"Never."

"You speak six languages?"

"Perfectly."

"So fur, so good. Now, listen. Don't swear at the mule in Greek. Don't use no Latin terms to him, an' fling no French his way. Use the Georgy dialect that you an' the mule wuz raised to. It's my opinion that the mule won't stand no college foolishness."—Atlanta Constitution.

A Knocker

Is a man who can't see good in any person or thing. It's a habit caused by a disordered liver. If you find that you are beginning to see things through blue spectacles, treat your liver to a good clean cut process with Ballard's Herbine. A sure cure for constipation, dyspepsia, indigestion, billousness, all liver, stomach and bowel troubles. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Francs and Dollars.

We like to read French stories, but every time francs are mentioned we stop to turn them into dollars. "She had 17,000 francs per year in the funds," the story will say, whereupon we stop to divide seventeen by five—to turn the francs into dollars and find out how much money the heroine had.—Atchison Globe.

A Healing Salve for Burns, Chapped Hands and Sore Nipples.

As a healing salve for burns, sores, sore nipples and chapped hands Chamberlain's Salve is most excellent. It allays the pain of a burn almost instantly, and unless the injury is very severe, heals the parts without leaving a scar. Price, 25 cents. For sale by all druggists.

PROBABLE NEW SERVICE FOR THE SEABOARD

TRAIN NO. 243 MAY BE RUN AS FAR AS BRONSON.

Would Greatly Improve the Service for All the Citizens Along This Railway.

From Friday's Daily Sun:

There is a probability that train No. 243 of the Seaboard, which is now stopped here, will be run as far as Bronson.

If the promoters behind this proposition are successful, it will mean a great deal for the citizens residing along this line, as it will not only afford better traveling facilities for them but will give a double daily service from Bronson to Jacksonville.

Parties residing as far south as Bronson will be enabled to take breakfast at home, come to Gainesville and spend a few hours trading and return home in time for dinner with but little expense. The afternoon service would also prove very advantageous to them, as it would give them about three hours to do their trading here.

While we have a board of trade, very few of the members are active, and The Sun would suggest that the business men get together and make some effort to secure this service at once. It would prove a paying proposition for the road and at the same time help Gainesville in a business way.

JONESVILLE NOTES.

JONESVILLE, April 22.—J. W. Hamilton went to Gainesville one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Smith and children visited Mrs. Hamilton Sunday.

R. P. Miller, Jr., who has been sick for several days, is better to the delight of his friends.

Misses Stella and Irene Miller visited Misses Lizzie and Cena Hamilton Tuesday afternoon.

Our Sunday school has been sleeping since the church burned, but we want to try and awaken it on next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Let us all try to meet at the new Jonesville school house. Our literature was burned, so we will have to order more.

Delightful Birthday Party.

Little Miss Myrtle McDonald entertained in honor of her eighth birthday, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McDonald, 506 E. church, Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock.

About twenty-five of little Myrtle's friends were present and the afternoon was passed in a most enjoyable manner, as only little ones can. Her little friends showered her with beautiful presents.

At 5 o'clock, led by the hostess, the little ones marched into the large and pretty dining-room, where they were served with strawberry cream and lady fingers. Miss Ruth McDonald and Master Major Doughtrey served the refreshments. After indulging in appropriate games until 6 o'clock, the guests departed, wishing the clever little hostess many happy returns of the day.

For Constipation.

Mr. L. H. Farnham, a prominent druggist of Spirit Lake, Iowa, says: "Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are certainly the best thing on the market for constipation." Give these tablets a trial. You are certain to find them agreeable and pleasant in effect. Price, 25 cents. Sample free. For sale by all druggists.

The Revival Meetings.

From Saturday's Daily Sun:

The revival meetings at the Advent Christian church continue to attract large congregations. Rev. J. T. Johnson will leave today for Dowling Park, in Suwannee county, where he will fill the regular appointment of Rev. Sweet, who is assisting in the meetings here, and Mr. Sweet will conduct the services here tomorrow. There will be no service tonight.

We often wonder how any person can be persuaded into taking anything but Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung trouble. Do not be fooled into accepting "own make" or other substitutes. The genuine contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. J. W. McCollum & Co.

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS
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The Kind You Have Always Bought
In Use For Over 30 Years.
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

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Your counselor in reference to Land Titles. We desire to give our customers the advantage of the services to be secured from a complete Abstract of Title Plant, such as we have. Our records are up to DATE.
—COME IN AND TALK WITH US—
The Alachua County Abstract Company
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Your Opportunity!
Save part of your income regularly and deposit your savings in this strong bank—one of the great financial institutions of Florida. Your money will be earning 4 per cent interest for you—working while you work, but also while you rest. : : : :
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THE GAINESVILLE NATIONAL BANK

Capital Stock	$100,000.00
Shareholders' Liability	$100,000.00
Surplus Account	20,000.00
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United States, State, County and City Depository
We Have Two Suites of Nice Offices For Rent in Our Building, Northwest Corner of the Square.

Let Us Keep Your Books for You
Deposit your money with us and pay your bills by check. It will save you trouble and your paid check is your receipt.
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GAINESVILLE

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The Sun and The Thrice-a-Week (N. Y.) World one year.....$1.65

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The Sun and The Semi-Weekly Times-Union one year 1.50

☞ We will not accept stamps of a larger denomination than 2 cents.

Since they have taken to lynching rich men in Oklahoma the privileges of wealth are fast disappearing.

Those entering the prize contest should carefully read the club propositions in The Sun for new subscribers.

The disposition of the prohibition amendment will make life easier for some members of the Florida Legislature.

Candidates in the piano and ring contest now on will find it to their interest to work for subscriptions for The Sun.

The Tallahassee Morning Sun has reached us. It is edited by Claude L'Engle, who seems to wield the pen with his old-time vim.

So long as Patten does not corner the sweet potato crop, Floridians will continue to wear a smile that is child-like and bland, says The Orlando Sentinel.

Rev. C. C. Carroll has tendered his resignation as pastor of the First Baptist church at Ocala, to take effect in June. He will remove to Owensboro, Ky.

Relative to the tariff tax on stockings, The Troy Press wants to know "Hose fault is it?" Darned if we know.—Times-Union.

That is the way to talk it; sock it to 'em.—Jasper News.

The success of Lillian Russell, the actress, on the Pacific Coast this season has been remarkable. Her receipts during Holy Week, the dullest of the year in theatricals, in Los Angeles amounted to $14,000.

The Fort Myers Press says "many people wonder why Jacksonville makes such rapid strides forward," to which The Pensacola Journal adds, "It is funny that the old gal doesn't get dizzy and stumble sometimes—considering, you know."

The formation of a Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals in Gainesville is a most worthy move, and should have the hearty co-operation of everyone in its work. The death recently of Gen. T. Angell, editor of Our Dumb Animals, removed one of the best friends of the dumb brute this country has ever known, and the memory of "the man who spoke for those who cannot speak for themselves" will ever be cherished by the people of the civilized world.

There were 184 persons killed and 2,924 injured in train accidents during the three months ending December 31 last, according to the Interstate Commerce Commission report just made public. Other kinds of accidents, including those to employes while at work and to passengers in getting on and off cars, etc., bring the total number of casualties up to 37,644—776 killed and 36,868 injured. This shows a decrease of 1,414 in the total number as compared with a year ago. There were 1,373 collisions and 1,511 derailments, causing $1,000,000 damage to cars, locomotives and right of way.

THE TARIFF AND ITS EFFECTS.

If the cost of living increased 47.4 per cent during the ten years of the Dingley tariff between 1896 and 1907, how much more will it cost the average family to live under the tariff bill now before Congress?

This is a problem in tariff arithmetic for the public to think over while Congress is preparing to pass the Payne bill with a few minor changes.

The Payne bill, after revision by the Senate Finance Committee, is admittedly an advance in rates over the Dingley or present tariff law. Just how much of an advance, not even the Republicans know for a certainty. The increase over present rates is estimated all the way from 1.44 to 20 per cent. The exact increase cannot be known until the last administrative feature of the bill has been incorporated, which will probably be in the few minutes just preceding the passage of the measure.

To understand what the real meaning of an increase of tariff rates over the Dingley law is to the consumer, the record of the effect of the Dingley tariff is interesting.

Dunn's Commercial Agency has for years kept careful track of prices of the commodities which are of general daily consumption. The cost of living increased 47.4 per cent during the ten years of the Dingley tariff preceding 1907. What could be bought for $72.45 in July, 1897, cost $106.79 in June, 1906. The rise was steady and gradual.

While wages during the same period increased nominally 18 per cent, the cost of living increased 29.6 per cent in advance of wages.

The Statistical Abstract of the United States shows the effect of the Dingley law on various commodities. In reading each of the following comparisons it should be borne in mind the present tariff bill materially increases the Dingley tariff:

Breadstuffs costing $10.56 in 1896 cost $12.16 in 1907; meats costing $7.45 in 1896 cost $9.64 in 1907; dairy and garden costing $7.37 in 1896 cost $14.46 in 1907; other food costing $8.55 in 1896 cost $9.92 in 1907. Clothing costing $13.68 in 1896 cost $20.10 in 1907; metals costing $11.25 in 1896 cost $17.52 in 1907; miscellaneous items costing $12.52 in 1896 cost $19.24 in 1907.

"The increase of the cost of wearing apparel and foodstuffs under the Dingley tariff was gradual and steady," said Hon. James M. Graham of Illinois, in a matter tariff speech in the House recently. "Figures speak eloquently of the absolutely scientific manner in which the workingman's wages are reduced in fact, although the unions have been able to obtain a slight nominal increase. They give the laborer 28 cents with one hand and take 47 cents from him with the other."

The condition of labor at the end of ten years' operation of the Dingley tariff was shown at a meeting of the prominent labor men of the country at the office of Former Secretary of Commerce and Labor Cortelyou, on Feb. 10, 1903.

Samuel Gompers, on behalf of the American Federation of Labor, reported that he had sent out circular letters to the executive officers of the International Trade Unions in December, 1902, and from the replies gathered the following information:

Hatters, 50 per cent unemployed; those employed averaging about four days a week; carpenters, 40 per cent unemployed; cigar-makers, 30 per cent unemployed; commercial telegraphers, 30 per cent unemployed; freight handlers, 40 per cent unemployed; bed carriers and building laborers, 30 per cent unemployed; leather workmen, 40 per cent unemployed; tobacco workers, working on two-thirds time; iron moulders, 70 per cent unemployed.

The resolution adopted by the Legislature providing for an amendment to the constitution for submission of the prohibition question to the people of the State at the next general election, which according to the constitution will be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November 1910, also provides that should prohibition carry at this election, the law shall not be enforced until after six months shall have elapsed from the time the date of election. This provision was made, it is stated, in order to allow the saloon keepers time in which to dispose of their stocks.

If you have lost or found anything do not fail to keep your eye on the classified advertising column.

Impossible to be Well

It is impossible to be well, simply impossible, if the bowels are constipated. You must pay attention to the laws of nature, or suffer the consequences. Undigested material, waste products, poisonous substances, must be removed from the body at least once each day, or there will be trouble. A sluggish liver is responsible for an immense amount of suffering and serious disease. Ask your doctor about Ayer's Pills. He knows why they act directly on the liver. Trust him. J.C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

COUNTRY SECTIONS SHOW DEEP INTEREST

WESTERN SECTION HAS SOME HARD WORKERS AT PRESENT.

Clubs Coming Into The Sun, Besides the Merchants Are Increasing Their Business.

The first five days of voting for the handsome prizes offered in the Co-Operative Contest shows up remarkably well and the candidates have entered with the proper spirit, knowing that it will take some work on their part to win.

By a careful perusal of the advertisement all particulars can be obtained governing the contest and the candidates in the country districts who do not have the opportunity of visiting the city daily could not improve their candidacy better than to work among the "home folks" and remind them where they can secure votes when they are in Gainesville, and at the same time work for The Sun, as many votes can be gained in this manner.

The contest has been on for less than a week, but there are now eighty-five candidates in the race, including all sections, and it is known that several more will enter within the next few days.

Not only does The Sun give votes on subscriptions, but all orders for job work or advertising will count when the bill is paid. Read over the list of business firms that are in the contest and remember them all when you are canvassing for votes.

The handsome diamond ring has been ordered and will be placed on exhibition in the show window of L. C. Smith, on the north side of the square, and the two pianos will be placed, one each in the show windows of the Gainesville Hardware Company and the Gainesville Furniture Company, where they can be seen and examined as soon as they arrive, which will be about four or five weeks, as they will come direct from the factory.

Following is the vote at 4 p. m. Saturday evening:

Gainesville—Central Section.

Miss Jessie Evans	16,310
Miss Nell DaCosta	12,080
Miss Bessie Carver	11,220
Miss Estelle Beal	11,075
Miss Kate Daughtrey	9,065
Miss Helen Holder	8,580
Miss Alice Schafer	2,920
Miss Nora Stalls	2,770
Miss Marguerite Ledbetter	2,685
Miss Leonora Vidal	1,800
Miss Gertrude Harrod	1,665
Miss Myra Swearingen	1,075
Miss Blanche Thompson	765
Miss Grace Glover	500
Miss Grace Bullard	475
Miss Mildred McArthur	425
Miss Mary Fernandez	235
Miss Marion Futch	200
Miss Mabel Williams	155
Miss Aura M. Lewis	150
Miss Ella Bailey	145
Miss Mozelle Durst	130
Miss Kate Evans	120
Miss Fannie Burkhim	120
Miss Montine Fagan	120
Miss Rebecca Padgett	115
Miss Willie Robertson	110
Miss Bettie Goss	105
Miss Georgia Snowden	105
Miss Alma Fennell	100
Miss Carrie Perry	100
Miss Dolly Viering	100
Miss Julia McDonell	100
Miss Eloise Douglass	100
Miss Mary McKinstry	100
Miss Ibbe Padgett	100

Eastern and Southern District.

Miss Pattie Zetrouer, Rochelle	3,435
Miss Hattie English, Tacoma	2,615
Miss Lula Perry, Rochelle	1,710
Miss Bessie Waits, Hawthorn	1,675
Miss Bertie Shaw, Fairbanks	1,175
Miss Mattie Jennings, Rochelle	1,150
Miss Jewel Godwin, Hawthorn	435
Miss LaVerne Bobbitt, Micanopy	310
Miss Katie Akin, Arredondo	280
Miss Alice Strickland, Waldo	235
Miss Agnes Zetrouer, Rochelle	200
Miss Mamie Bailey, Waldo	200
Miss Lorna McCredie, Micanopy	200
Miss Ella Jolly, Orange Heights	145
Miss Emma Entenza, Waldo	135
Miss Myrtle Hammond, Hawthorn	125
Miss Elvena Staf, Waldo	105
Miss Lottie Littledale, Hawthorn	105
Miss Pauline Carlton, Micanopy	105
Miss L. Sanders, Hawthorn	105
Miss Martha English, Tacoma	105
Miss Ruby Winter, Waldo	100
Miss Mary Hall, Orange Heights	100

Western and Northern Section.

Mrs. H. Maddox, Archer	15,955
Miss Eva Powell, Alachua	9,670
Miss Annie Kirkland, Alachua	8,802
Miss Rosa Lee Rives, High Springs	6,195
Miss Ellen Beville, Arredondo	3,995
Miss Aleen Holly, Arredondo	3,535
Miss Jewell Stanley, Hague	3,365
Miss Hattie Ludwig, Tioga	1,805
Miss Vida Barrop, Bell	1,075
Miss Annie Beville, Arredondo	865
Miss A. Groff, Newberry	765
Miss Clem Pickett, Newberry	565
Miss Lula Gay, Bell	490
Mrs. I. Ware, High Springs	425
Miss Ada Pearce, Newberry	140
Miss Mabel Burnett, LaCrosse	110
Miss Lizzie Smith, Newberry	130
Miss Minnie Stork, Alachua	105
Miss Blanche Rawls, Alachua	105
Miss Gertrude Guinn, Hague	105
Miss Annie Lou Hodges, High Springs	100
Miss Ella Smith, Newberry	100
Miss Ola Studstill, Newberry	100
Miss Annie Price, Wade	100
Miss Mabel Cato, Alachua	100
Miss Lizzie Sheppard, Bell	100

Avoid Danger

When you are sick, or suffering from any of the troubles peculiar to women, don't delay—take Cardui, that well-known and successful remedy for women. Thousands of women have used Cardui and been benefited. Why not you? Don't take any chances. Get Cardui, the old, reliable, oft-tried remedy, for women of all ages.

TAKE CARDUI

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It Will Help You

Mrs. Lusania Morgan, Sneedville, Tenn., writes: "For ten years I suffered with the turn of life, and tried many remedies without relief. I had pains all over my body and at times I could not sit up. At last I took Cardui and now I can do my housework. I have told many ladies about Cardui and recommend it to all sick women." Try it.

AT ALL DRUG STORES

KRYPTOK INVISIBLE BIFOCAL LENSES

For far and near VISION

Mark a great advancement in the construction of Optical Lenses. Come in, let us demonstrate them to you.

C. H. COLES & SON

Jewelers and Opticians

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TILLMAN AT WHITE HOUSE.

A dispatch from Washington states that Senator Benjamin Tillman of South Carolina paid his first visit to the White House Tuesday and received a cordial greeting from President Taft. In his long official capacity the Senator never before had called upon a President and his appearance in the executive offices created a sensation.

"It's not necessary to make a nine-day wonder out of my visit to President Taft," said Mr. Tillman after his return to the capitol. "We have always been good friends and I frequently went to see him when he was Secretary of War. Whether he has inherited his office from Roosevelt or been elected by the people, there is no reason for anyone to suppose that he has inherited Roosevelt's meanness."

While at the White House Senator Tillman saw Booker T. Washington for the first time.

"I was very curious to see him," said Senator Tillman, "because it enabled me to draw my own conclusions as to the percentage of white blood there is in him. It is over one-half."

Asked what impression he formed of Washington, Mr. Tillman replied:

"Booker Washington is considered a great negro, and he has great intellectual powers. He has a Jesuitical face. If he had not been engaged with a lot of people about him I should have gone up and chatted with him. I would like to discuss the race question with Booker Washington. I would like to ask him a lot of questions."

The Metropolis says a pretty face, a pleading voice and a shapely form, clothed in the latest creations of fashion, were too much for a gentleman from Oklahoma in Jacksonville a day or two since and he fell before the woman's charms to the tune of $55. Nothing strange about that—who could refuse a creature possessing such embellishments?

Sun "Want" ads. bring results.

TIGHMAN'S CONDITION POWDER
SALT-SICK
CURE
SALT-SICK
YOU KNOW IT BY THE COW
TIGHMAN'S IS NOT A FOOD BUT PURELY A STOCK TONIC
GIVE IT A TRIAL AND SAVE YOUR ANIMALS
PRICE 25 CENTS
ACKERMAN & STEWART, PALATKA, FLA.

THE G. W. HYDE COMPANY

THE BIG DAYLIGHT DEPARTMENT STORE

India Linon

40-inch India Linon. A strong sheer material, thoroughly washable. 12½c values
Monday at 8½c

India Linon

40-inch India Linon. A regular 18c value. A limited lot
Monday .....12½c the Yard.

French Lawns, Etc

Special values in 42 to 50-inch Plain White French Lawns and Batistes
Monday at.....15c, 18c, 22c, 29c.

Dirigo Batiste

30-inch Fancy Batistes in most attractive designs and colorings. A sheer, firm cloth. 25c values
Monday at.....15c the Yard.

Macrame Stripes

25 pieces of these Fancy Lawns in newest effects and colors. 18c values,
Monday at .....12½c the Yard.

Ginghams

3 cases regular 12½c and 15c Ginghams. Spring Patterns, all new colors,
Monday at .....9½c the Yard.

NOTHING TO EQUAL THESE TUB SKIRTS.

Irish Linen Skirts trimmed with Wash Buttons, in Linen, Light-Blue and White. These are thoroughly dependable and exceptional values for
Monday at.....$1.25

Monday's Store Bulletin

In our Beautifully appointed Ready to Wear Parlors we are still as busy as at the beginning of the Season and each day's Express brings us the foremost fashions from the Northern markets. Saturday's Express brought us an extensive line of handsome Wash Coats. These are made of Irish linen and elaborately trimmed with cluny lace and insertion. Priced from $4.98 to $7.98.

Sole Agents for Warner's & Thompson's Glove-Fitting Corsets.
—Store Closes at 6 P. M.—
—BOTH 'PHONES—

Toil de Noids

25 pieces this celebrated French Gingham, newest Spring Patterns, 15c to 18c values
Monday at.....12½c the Yard.

Percales

Regular 12½c Percales, light and dark colors, Spring Patterns,
Monday .....10c the Yard.

Towels

Union Huck Towels, red borders, hemstitched, 25c values,
Monday at .....15c Each.

Linen Suiting

1,000 yards Donegal Linen Suitings in Natural, Reseda, Blue, Brown, Japan and Red. These are all 25c values for
Monday's selling, at 13½c Yard.

Towels

Absorbent Towels, good size. A special value at
Monday .....5c Each.

Parasols

We have just received a large lot of the newest the market affords in Summer Parasols. These are especially priced
Monday.....98c to $7.50 Each.

Linen Suiting

Plain White Linen Suitings, especially priced for
Monday at 25c to $1.49 the Yard.

Striped Linens

36-inch all Pure Linens. White grounds with Blue, Green, Copenhagen and Tan Stripes—especially adapted for suitings,
Monday .....32½ the Yard.

Rajah Linen

A new Wash Fabric, 36 inches wide in Copenhagen, Navy, Black, White, Brown and Tan. A 25c value
For Monday.....17½c the Yard.

Crown Linene

36-inch Extra Heavy Quality White Linens for Wash Suits. We have only enough for one-day's selling. 18c value,
Monday .....12½c the Yard.

Buttons

2 and 4-hole Pearl Buttons. 5c values. .....Monday 3c per Dozen.

Silk Gloves

12-Button Pure Silk Gloves, in White, Black, Light-Blue, Pink, Lemon, Old Rose, Champagne and Brown. $1.50 values.
Monday at.....98c the Pair.

Laces

8,000 yards Linen, Torchon Laces and Insertions to match, 7½c to 10c values Monday at 4½c Yard.

Neckwear

Embroidered Linen Collars. Dutch Collars and lace-trimmed Jobots. 35c values. Monday at 21c Each.

Neckwear

Embroidered Linen Collars, all sizes, newest patterns. 25c values
Monday at.....14c Each.

Silk Hosiery

22 dozen Ladies' Silk Hose, White, Black, Green, Champagne, Light-Blue, Pink, Corn and Brown. $1.50 values. Monday at $1.00 per Pair.

Mosquito Nets

80, 90, 100 "Climax" Mosquito Nets at $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75, the famous "Dixie" Frame and Net,
Monday .....$2.50 Each.

Men's Wash Ties

50 dozen Men's Wash Ties, Plain White and Fancies, 20c values,
Monday at .....10c Each.

Men's Hosiery

A new line of the famous True Shape Hose in all spring shades.
Monday .....23c the Pair.

Some article that is simply "in the way" at your house might, if advertised, be sold to someone who is anxiously looking for it.

GAINESVILLE HARDWARE CO.

Full line of Palmer Hammocks just received—$1, $1.50, $2.50, $4, $5, $6.

General Agents for F. W. Devoe's Paint—wears longer, goes farther, spreads easier than any other paint on the market today.

See our show window display of Draper & Maynard Base Ball Goods.

GAINESVILLE HARDWARE CO.

THE GRAND LODGE OF ODD FELLOWS

ADJOURNED TO MEET AT PLANT CITY IN 1910.

Gainesville and Alachua County Well Represented in the Election of New Officers.

The Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows completed their session in DeLand Wednesday. The next session will be held at Plant City on the third Tuesday in April, 1910.

The Rebekah team from St. Petersburg worked their degree during the session, and this work was so perfect, being done without ritual or hesitation in any way, that the Grand Lodge gave the St Petersburg ladies a prize of $2.00 for its exemplification.

At the closing session officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

Grand Master, Rev. George T. Self of DeLand.

Deputy Grand Master, Wm. H. Malone, Jr., of Key West.

Grand Warden, J. Edward Williams of Pensacola.

Grand Treasurer, George L. Branning of New Smyrna.

Grand Secretary, A. M. Cushman of Gainesville.

J. B. Conrad of DeLand was re-elected as trustee of the Sanitarium at Gainesville, and the action of the trustees in leasing the building and equipment for a term of years was approved by the Grand Lodge.

A resolution was adopted giving the incoming Grand Master the right to expend $1,000 during the next year in traveling the State and working for the good of the order.

Suitable resolutions were adopted thanking the people of DeLand, and the members of Magnolia Lodge for the courtesies shown the Grand Lodge.

The Rebekah Assembly.

The Rebekah State Assembly elected the following officers Wednesday morning:

President, Mrs. Lucy Lester, Tampa.

Vice-President, Mrs. Annie Phifer, High Springs.

Warden, Mrs. Mattie M. Taylor, St. Petersburg.

Secretary, Miss Nettie L. Robb, Gainesville.

Treasurer, Mrs. Ella C. Rasmusen, Bradentown.

The Rebekahs were treated to an automobile ride to DeLeon Springs Wednesday morning, going the 20 miles before breakfast by their request, this being the most convenient time for them.

The members of the Grand Lodge and of the Rebekah State Assembly enjoyed their trip to DeLand very much, and were very complimentary to the local committee in speaking of their treatment while there.

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NEW YORK RACKET :-: PHIFER BROS.

McMULLEN'S DRAMATIC PLEA FOR PROHIBITION

His Mother a Corpse at Largo, But He Remained to Fight For Measure He Championed.

TALLAHASSEE, April 23.—Dramatic in the extreme was the effect given to the fight by the earnestness shown in behalf of the resolution by Senator McMullen for constitutional amendment for State-wide prohibition. Wednesday night his mother passed away at the old home at Largo, but, feeling that it would be her wish for him to do so, he remained for the fight instead of going to her bedside. The strain upon him was apparent. He bore up strong, however, until he was through speaking in behalf of his measure. There were many wet eyes among the Senators as well as the spectators when he had finished.

Senator Adkins of Starke also received a telegram stating that his mother was seriously ill, but he, too, remained to cast his vote. He was excused immediately afterwards.

Senator Zim came from his sick bed to vote against the amendment.

Senator Buckman of Jacksonville was the only one to speak at any length against the measure. He spoke for nearly an hour and a half altogether.

There were a number of speeches made by the other side.

Routine Proceedings.

Thirty-one members responded to roll call when the Senate was called to order at 10 o'clock.

Resolutions were introduced as follows:

Senate Resolution No. 32, Cone, opposing reappointment of Joe Lee as Collector of Internal Revenue at Jacksonville. Adopted.

No. 33, Cone, continuing daily morning session until 1 o'clock. Lost, 15 to 9.

Bills were introduced as follows:

Senate Bill No. 204, Massey, regulating taxation of costs in civil causes in supreme court.

Joint resolution 205, Massey, constitutional amendment relating to establishment of courts.

Senate Bill 206, Dayton, prohibiting dynamiting of fish.

Senate Bill 211, Hudson, defining care of dependent children.

Senate Bill 212, West, relating to taking testimony in chancery cases.

Senate bill No. 213, Henderson, free transportation for sheriffs of State.

Senate Bill 214, Buckman, relating to instruments payable at banks.

Consideration of Resolutions.

Senate concurrent resolution No. 3, Flournoy, appointing committee of eight to inspect drainage work in Everglades. Withdrawn because of similar one already passed.

Concurrent resolution No. 8, Hosford, asking Congress to prevent imposition of ad valorem duty on potash salts. Adopted.

House memorial No. 7, Acre of Osceola, for $75,000 appropriation for Kissimmee river.

A telegram was received from Senator D. U. Fletcher acknowledging notification of his election.

Bills on Second Reading.

House Bill No. 17, Butler of Dade, creating Palm Beach county. Mr. Baker, speaker pro tem, took the chair and Mr. Hudson moved that the bill be read second time by title only. To third reading.

Senator McMullen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate joint resolution No. 68 (the prohibition amendment) be taken up out of its order.

Senator Buckman protested. Senator Beard also protested because his bill was set for Friday.

Senator McMullen claimed Senator Beard's remembrance of the facts in the case to be rather poor.

The motion carried, 21 to 10. Ayes—Adkins, Baker of the Twentieth, Baker of the Twenty-ninth, Broome, Crill, Cone, Cottrell, Dayton, Flournoy, Girardeau, Humphries, Leggett, Massey, McLeod, McMullen, Miller, West, Williams, Withers, Hudson—21. Nays—Beard, Buckman, Cook, Davis, Harris, Henderson, Hosford, Johnson, McCreary and Sams—10.

Senator Beard spoke for prohibition, but opposed the resolution, as he claimed the object could be obtained by statutory law. He feared that the fight over the amendment at the polls would divide the white people of Florida and give the negro the balance of power once again.

Senator Buckman opposed the action of the submissionists and declared the local option law of Florida to be sufficient. Public sentiment must be with a law to enforce it, he said. He claimed that Sate-wide prohibition would be the greatest of menaces to the growth of Florida. He claimed to be able to show that prohibition has proven a failure wherever tested. He also brought in the negro question. He referred to resolutions adopted by various commercial and trades bodies of the State. He spoke for over an hour, bringing all the usual arguments up against prohibition.

Senator Broome, though ill, spoke eloquently for the amendment. He said Senator Buckman's long speech reminded him of the title of Shakespeare's play, "Love's Labor Lost." He pleaded for the submission of the amendment. He replied to many of the arguments against the resolution and won much applause from the ladies and visitors in the chamber.

Senator Sloan of the Seventh followed Senator Broome in attacking the arguments made against the measure. He was frequently interrupted by applause.

Senator McMullen spoke only a short time but earnestly pleaded for the resolution. He stated that no business organization holding the respect of the business interests of Tampa had adopted any resolution against prohibition. The clearing house association turned down such resolutions by a vote of two to one, he said. He produced telegrams just received from eighteen of the twenty-two wholesale houses of Tampa asking the passage of the resolution. This was in reply to the statement of Senator Buckman. His address was able and won continuous applause.

Senator Zim declared prohibition a failure and opposed the resolution. He referred to the action of the State Federation of Labor opposing the submission of the amendment.

Senator Dayton referred to the ballots cast in the election, which sent many of the Senators to their seats in this body.

Senator Adkins also spoke for the resolution. He said that he was voting according to the wishes of his constituents.

Senator Buckman resented aspersions which he claimed Senator McMullen threw upon Duval county and continued his arguments.

The question was then called and the resolution carried by a vote of 21 to 7.

Notice of Election.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at Micanopy, in Special Tax Sub-Road District Number One, on Tuesday, May 18th, A. D. 1909, to determine who shall be Road Trustees for the fiscal years 1909 and 1910 and the rate of millage to be collected for the above-mentioned years. O. L. Feaster, S. H. McCollum and Thos. McCredie are hereby appointed Inspectors for the above election.

Done by order of the Board of County Commissioners, Alachua county, Florida, this 7th day of April, A. D. 1909. JOHN G. DAMPIER, Chairman.

By the Clerk, Attest:
S. H. WIENGES.

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That this is the most trying of all seasons on the health is a fact well known to us all. It is the time of year when our constitutions are required to stand the greatest strain, and unless properly cared for the foundation is often laid for physical disorders or disease later on. The great majority of persons are fast coming to realize the importance of preventing disease. Health is our most valued possession, and its preservation is a matter which vitally concerns every one.

Most persons, even those who are ordinarily strong and robust, feel the necessity of a tonic and blood purifier at this season. Some have no particular ailment, but are weak, debilitated and run-down. The Winter life, with its decreased amount of out-door exercise, and the fact that the cold weather has kept the pores of the skin closed, prevented the usual necessary amount of refuse and waste matter from being carried out of the system. These impurities entering the circulation have weakened and thinned the blood, and this vital fluid is therefore lacking in the nourishing properties necessary to sustain and preserve systemic health, when warm, active Spring life begins.

The general bodily weakness, tired, worn-out feeling, fickle appetite, poor digestion, etc., show how weak and anaemic the blood has become. Frequently skin diseases, pimples, eruptions, boils, etc., break out on the skin, and this is evidence of the impurity of the circulation.

S. S. S. is the medicine needed to correct this condition, and is the only one on which you can rely to supply the system with the best tonic effects, and at the same time thoroughly purify the blood. The use of S. S. S. at this time may save you from a long spell of sickness, and it will certainly prepare you for the strain of the long, hot Summer. Many people have put off using a tonic until the system became so weakened it could not resist disease, and have paid for the neglect with a spell of fever, malaria, or some other trouble. S. S. S. is Nature's ideal tonic and blood purifier, made entirely of the pure extracts of healing, strengthening, health-giving roots and herbs. It tones up the stomach and digestion, rids one of that tired, worn-out feeling, improves the appetite and digestion, and in every way contributes to the strengthening and building up of the entire system. S. S. S. is recognized everywhere as the greatest of all blood purifiers, and this combined with its unequalled tonic properties, make it a medicine needed by every one in the Spring.

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MASTER'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a decree of foreclosure of mortgage made and rendered by the Hon. J. T. Wills, Judge of the Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Alachua county, in Chancery, on the 23rd day of March, 1909, in a certain cause therein pending wherein F. A. Day is complainant and George White and his wife, Emma White, are defendants, I, the undersigned, as Special Master in Chancery, will sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, before the Court House door in the City of Gainesville, Florida, on Monday, the 3rd day of May, 1909, between the legal hours of sale, the following described land, situate, lying and being in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

The Northwest quarter of the Southeast quarter, and the East half of the Southwest quarter of Section Fourteen (14), and the Northeast quarter of Northwest quarter of Section Twenty-three (23), all in Township Seven (7), South Range Eighteen (18) East, containing 160 acres more or less.

Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining. Said property to be sold to satisfy said decree and costs. Terms, cash.

W. W. HAMPTON, JR.,
Special Master in Chancery.
W. S. BROOME,
Solicitor for Complainant.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court, of the Fifth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Marion county, in a case there pending, wherein Richard McConathy is plaintiff and F. A. Teague and S. W. Teague are defendants, and directed to all and every the Sheriffs of the State of Florida, I have levied upon and will sell before the court house door in the City of Gainesville, Alachua county, Florida, on Monday, the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1909, being a legal sale day, between the legal hours of sale, the following described property towit: The North Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Four (4), Township Ten (10), South of Range Seventeen (17) East, in Alachua county, Florida, levied upon and to be sold as the property of the defendant, S. W. Teague, to satisfy and pay said execution.

At Gainesville, Florida, this 30th day of March, A. D. 1909.

P. G. RAMSEY,
Sheriff of Alachua County, Florida.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

In the Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial Circuit, Alachua County, Florida—In Chancery—The Dutton Bank, a Corporation Existing Under and by Virtue of the Laws of the State of Florida, and Having Its Principal Place of Business in the City of Gainesville, Alachua County, Florida, vs J. Hoxsham Dell and Laurena Keller Dell—Mortgage Foreclosure.

It appearing by affidavit appended to the bill filed in the above stated cause that Laurena Keller Dell, one of the defendants therein named, is a non-resident of the State of Florida, and is a resident of the City of Savannah, County of Chatham, State of Georgia, that there is no person in the State of Florida the service of a subpoena upon whom would bind said defendant and that said defendant is over the age of twenty one years; it is therefore ordered that said non-resident defendant be and she is hereby required to appear to the Bill of Complaint filed in said cause on or before Monday, the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1909, otherwise the allegations of said bill will be taken as confessed by said defendant.

It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in The Gainesville Sun, a newspaper published in said county and State.

This March 27th, 1909.

S. H. WIENGES, Clerk Circuit Court.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.

A true copy of original.
[Seal] S. H. WIENGES, Clerk Circuit Court.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.
W. S. BROOME, Sol'r. for Complainant.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that Robt. C. Bowers, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 43, dated the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1900, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

Fractional part of Lot 2, Sec. 13, Tp. 10, S. R. 19—31 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Hyson Robb.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 20th day of May, A. D. 1909.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 15th day of April, A. D. 1909.

S. H. WIENGES,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

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DAVIDSON AND KELLEY REMANDED TO JAIL

TRIAL WILL COME UP AT REGULAR SPRING TERM.

Several Witnesses Examined on Friday and Hearing Concluded in Afternoon.

The hearing of case of D. M. Davidson and J. M. Kelley, charged jointly with the murder of Officer Sellars at High Springs in 1906, the evidence in which was being heard by Judge Wills to ascertain if the case was a bailable one, terminated Friday afternoon.

Several witnesses were examined in the afternoon, for both the State and defense, but after hearing the evidence Judge Wills made an order remanding the defendants to the custody of the sheriff until the regular term of court.

Some of the State witnesses who had been subpoenaed here and were present at the opening of the case, left Thursday and the court was unable to do anything until they returned yesterday at noon, the sheriff having resummoned them.

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A SIGNAL VICTORY FOR MRS. SCOTT

SHE IS ELECTED PRESIDENT-GENERAL OF D. A. R.

Her Success Was a Triumph for the Administration Forces Led by Mrs McLean.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—By a vote of 436 to 428, Mrs. Matthew T. Scott of Illinois was today declared elected president-general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, over Mrs. William Cummings Story, of New York.

Mrs. Scott's election was a victory for the administration faction. A number of delegates refused to make the election unanimous on Mrs. Story's motion.

GOVERNOR OF CONNECTICUT PASSES AWAY

HARTFORD, Conn., April 22.—Governor George Leavens Lilley died at the executive mansion, yesterday evening after battling with acute nephritis for four weeks. There were at the bedside, Mrs. George L. Lilley, the three sons, Frederick, John and Theodore Lilley, and Mrs. John A. Lilley and the attending physicians.

As soon as the news was spread abroad the fire bells of Hartford sounded the age of the dead Governor —forty-nine—and a detachment of the first company, Governor's Fort Guards, immediately was mustered to go on duty at the executive mansion.

The funeral will be held from Trinity Church, Hartford. The body will be escorted to the State capitol prior to the funeral services and lie in state in the rotunda.

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Mrs. R. Wilson, Dry Goods and Notions.
Saunders & Earle, Groceries and Feed Stuffs.
City Bakery, Bread and Pastry.
P. Y. Smith, Fresh Meats.
Crawford & Davis, Livery and Sale Stables.
The Sun, Printing and Publishing.
The Brown House, Meals and Lodging.
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Rules and Regulations

1. The contest is open to anyone living in Alachua county who is known by the conductors of the contest or vouched for by some reputable person, to them well known.
2. No employee, attachee or relative of the proprietors of the above-named firms are eligible to participate in this contest, and will participate in no manner.
3. In the event of a misunderstanding between candidates or others interested in this contest, such controversy may be referred to the conductors of contest, who alone are the persons qualified to render decisions.
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NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

MATTERS OF GENERAL INTEREST SECURED BY SUN REPORTERS.

What Has Happened and What Is Going to Happen—Personal and Social Items of the City.

From Friday's Daily Sun.

D. M. Phifer of Windsor was a visitor to the city yesterday.

L. B. Bryan of High Springs is among the visitors to the city.

Justice M. A. Bexley of High Springs is among the visitors to the city.

G. W. Easterlin of High Springs is among the visitors to Gainesville.

R. W. Small of Hague was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. McKinney of Rex were shopping in the city yesterday.

J. L. Townsend, county commissioner, of Campville, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Miss Susie Smith, an attractive young lady of Micanopy, is visiting Miss Eva Bauknight for a few days.

H. McL. Grady of High Springs, an enterprising merchant of that place, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff W. C. Hague of Alachua arrived in the city yesterday and will remain here for the next day or so on business.

Dr. E. B. Howell and wife of Newberry were among the visitors to the city yesterday. The latter came on a shopping expedition.

W. T. Chesnut of Arredondo was in the city yesterday, having come up to spend the day with his family and look after some business matters.

W. M. Davidson, Jr., of High Springs, is among those visiting the city. He has a number of friends here who are always pleased to meet him.

Mrs. T. J. Perry of Rochelle visited Gainesville Thursday on a shopping expedition. While here she had her name placed on the rapidly increasing list of The Sun.

H. B. Lewis, one of The Sun's colored subscribers of Melrose, was a pleasant caller at this office Thursday, renewing his subscription for a year in advance.

M. G. Knight, the wheelwright and buggy manufacturer of High Springs, is among the visitors to the city. He was summoned here in the preliminary hearing before Judge Wills.

J. J. Haymans of Lochloosa, one of the large turpentine operators of the eastern part of the county, is here visiting his family and looking after his extensive property interests.

H. A. Fisher of North Gainesville left yesterday for St. Petersburg, where he will remain for the next few weeks, having accepted a position on a church building being erected in that city.

Mrs. S. A. Brown of Newberry was a visitor to the city yesterday. She came for the purpose of getting some land maters straightened up on valuable property owned by her near Newberry.

J. A. Manning left yesterday for Micanopy, where he will remain for the next several days. He is now interested in a farm fence and is placing quite a number of them among the people in that section.

Rev. T. J. Nixon, presiding elder of this district of the M. E. Church, with headquarters at Ocala, is among the visitors to the city. He has a host of friends in Gainesville who are always pleased to welcome him.

W. M. Lancaster, a substantial trucker of Micanopy, was among the visitors to the city yesterday. While here he had his name placed on the subscription list of The Sun and will hereafter keep posted on the happenings of the county.

Pete Burkhardt, one of the employees of the Atlantic Coast Line, is in the city attending the special hearing in the Kelley-Davidson case. He was holding the position as night yard master at High Springs during the year in which the killing occurred.

Richard Warmington, who has been spending the past winter here and at his grove, left Wednesday for Washington City. From the National capital he will proceed to his home in Canada to remain until next fall, when he will be among the early arrivals in Gainesville.

Superintendent Dr. J. L. Kelley having been called away from his office for several days, requests that the following announcement be made: All teachers of Alachua county who desire to take a normal review course preparatory to taking the June examination may attend the Gainesville High School. Work suited to their needs will be assigned them. Wherever possible new classes will be organized for their benefit. No cost will be attached other than that of board and books.

From Saturday's Daily Sun

Five or 6 doses "666" will cure any case of Chills and Fever. Price 25c.

M. B. Davis, one of the merchants of Hague, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. M. Felwellen left yesterday for McIntosh, where she will spend the next few days visiting friends.

Plank's Chill Tonic is guaranteed to cure chills, fever, colds and lagrippe. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

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J. T. Markey, one of the enterprising merchants of High Springs, was here yesterday, having come to look after his taxes.

R. W. Higdon of High Springs, a successful business man of that place, was here yesterday looking after some business maters.

S. J. Ellis, merchant of Alachua, was visiting in the city yesterday. He accompanied Col. F. Y. Smith down in his new touring car.

R. G. West of High Springs, one of the State witnesses in the Kelley-Davidson case, arrived in the city yesterday to be present at the hearing.

Dr. J. L. Kelley, superintendent of schools, has returned from Georgia, where he was recently called on the sad mission of attending the funeral of a sister-in-law.

Prof. J. E. Woltz and his excellent orchestra were called to Micanopy Friday evening and furnished music for a dance given by the young people of that thriving little city.

E. W. Millican of Waldo, one of the extensive turpentine producers and a large real estate man of the eastern section, was here yesterday looking after some business matters.

Harriet Jordan, an old colored woman residing in Frog Alley, has been adjudged insane by a commission composed of Drs. H. C. Spencer, J. M. Dell and Marshal B. T. Arnow.

J. A. Maultsby, general manager of the Campville Brick Company, was a visitor to the city yesterday. He states that he has placed the orders for new material and hopes to be running within a short while with a new plant.

Mrs. S. B. Phifer of High Springs, who has been the guest of Mrs. M. B. Saunders for several days, has returned to her home. She was one of the delegates to the Grand Lodge at DeLand and stopped over on her way home.

J. E. Haynesworth, an extensive planter from the place bearing his name, was among the traders in the city yesterday. He conducts one of the most extensive farms in his section and is considered among the leading planters of cotton.

Mrs. R. W. Griffin, formerly of Micanopy but who is now residing in the southern portion of the State, was among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday. She was en route to Micanopy, where she will visit her parents and other relatives for the next few days.

W. G. English of Tacoma was among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss Hattie, one of the contestants in the Co-Operative Contest for the piano to be given away in the eastern and southern section of the county and who has gone to work with a vim to win.

From Sunday's Daily Sun.

Wade Thomas of Monteocha was a visitor to the city yesterday.

R. S. Bradley of Wacahoota was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

C. J. Grace of Evinston was in the city yesterday. He was accompanied by his little son.

J. B. Connolly and W. N. and W. F. Cauthen, of Hague, were among the visitors to the city yesterday.

J. M. Turner of Lake View spent Saturday in the city. He says that crops are very promising in his section.

J. H. Holly of Arredondo, the butcher and stock raiser of that place, was here yesterday on his usual weekly visit.

Chas. Slaughter of Micanopy was in the city yesterday. He was accompanied by his little nephew, Wilson Small.

J. N. Harrison of LaCrosse, a progressive planter of that section, was greeting his friends in Gainesville yesterday.

Miss Janie Smith of Wacahoota, who has been visiting Miss Eva Bauknight for the past few days, returned to her home yesterday.

Miss Julia Bailey of Boston, Ga., has arrived in the city and will spend the next several days here visiting the family of Mrs. M. R. Carter.

Mrs. W. A. Carlton, the accommodating postmistress of Micanopy, was a visitor to the city Saturday, having come to look after some business matters.

Mrs. W. E. Baker and children left yesterday for Lakeland. They will spend the next several days there visiting relatives, the family of W. A. McGriff.

Prof. W. H. May of High Springs school was here yesterday on business connected with Superintendent Kelley. He returned to his home in the afternoon.

J. W. Bradley of Micanopy was among the visitors to the city Saturday. While here he made a pleasant call at this office, renewing his subscription to Alachua's luminary.

F. S. Curl of Archer was transacting business in Gainesville Saturday. He states that Archer is lively at the present time and many improvements are being made about the place.

Monroe Venable, superintendent of the Archer Crate and Basket Company, was a visitor to Gainesville Saturday. He states that a great deal of improvement is going on in that section.

T. M. Venable of Arredondo, one of the oldest citizens of that section, was meeting his many friends here yesterday. He states that the crops are looking well and the farmers are satisfied.

Prof. M. M. Bryant, principal of the Waldo High School, was a visitor to the city yesterday. He will close the school at that place on Wednesday, May 5th, and states that the term has been one of the most successful in the history of the institution.

Attention is directed to the new advertisement of Phifer Bros. which appears elsewhere. They have a new and novel scheme to introduce to the citizens of Gainesville—that of giving away a handsome watch every Saturday night. Read their ad.

Geo. L. Taylor of Palmer came to Gainesville yesterday for a short business visit. He states that the crate mill and the foundry, both located at Archer, present a very busy scene and that these concerns are at work day and night to keep up with their orders.

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SEA ISLAND COTTON.

Savannah Market Continued Firm During the Past Week.

SAVANNAH, Ga., April 24.—The market continued firm with a good demand and fair business was done at slightly advanced prices for the higher grades. Receipts are running lighter, and the stock is consequently being rapidly depleted.

Crop accounts from the Western Georgia counties are favorable for so early in the season, but the crop does not seem to be making so good a start in the other sections.

Sales for the week were 706 bales.

The following prices were based on factors' quotations and are revised weekly on Fridays:

Fancy Floridas	20 @ 21
Fancy Georgias	20 @ 21
Ex. choice Floridas	18 @ 18½
Ex. choice Georgias	18 @ 18½
Choice Ga's and Fla's	15 @ 17
Ex. fine Ga's and Fla's	14 @ 14½
Fine Ga's. and Fla's	12 @ 13
Common Ga's. and Fla's	10 @ 11

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 24.—Sea Islands: Fine, 20c; fully fine, 22c; extra fine, 23c. Receipts, none. Exports, none. Sales, 268; stock, 987.

Let a want ad. negotiate a trade for you—of something you don't need for something you do.

JONESVILLE NOTES.

JONESVILLE, April 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jones spent Thursday in Gainesville.

Miss Winnie Dudley is visiting relatives at Newberry this week.

W. J. Hamilton of Newberry and J. I. Griffin were out Wednesday taking the measurements of the church, so as to have the bill of lumber sawed for the new church building.

We are having the cemetery fence repaired which will add greatly to its appearance.

Rev. Wilson Griffin will fill his regular appointment here the first Sunday in May at the Jonesville new school building. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Banks Will Close.

From Sunday's Daily Sun:

Monday being Memorial Day, the banks of Gainesville will be closed throughout the day. The public will be governed accordingly. The postoffice will also observe the usual Sunday hours.

...WANTS...

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Duroc pigs, $5 each. L. H. Willis, Evinston, Fla.

FOR SALE—Hand-drawn heart cypress shingles. W. W. Colson, Court House.

MEDICAL.

QUICK RESTORATIVE for lost manhood. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded; 50c per bottle. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

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